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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	CR No. 12-0390 WHA
Plaintiff,)	
v.)	STIPULATION AND
NICOLAS PERRET,)	[PROPOSED] INTERIM PROTECTIVE
Defendant.)	ORDER

Plaintiff, United States of America, by and through MELINDA HAAG, United States Attorney for the Northern District of California, and OWEN P. MARTIKAN, Assistant United States Attorney for the Northern District of California, and the defendant, NICOLAS PERRET, and his attorneys PAULA CANNY and JUSTIN GOODWIN, hereby stipulate and agree as follows:

WHEREAS the defendant is charged in a four-count Indictment charging violations of Title 18, United States Code, sections 2251(a) and 2252(a)(1), respectively, Production and Transportation of Child Pornography. In connection with this Indictment, the United States is in

1 possession of computer media, materials, and property that it alleges constitute and/or contain
2 images and/or videos of child pornography.

3 WHEREAS pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, section 3509(m), notwithstanding
4 Fed. R. Crim. P. 16, courts are required to deny defense requests to copy, photograph, duplicate,
5 or otherwise reproduce any property or material constituting child pornography if the United
6 States makes the property or material reasonably available to the defendant and provides ample
7 opportunity for the defense to examine it at a government facility. 18 U.S.C. § 3509(m).

8 WHEREAS in order to comply with Title 18, United States Code, section 3509(m), and
9 to allow the defendant the greatest opportunity to prepare an effective defense in preparation for
10 trial in this matter, the United States and defendant agree that disclosure of the alleged
11 contraband materials on the seized computer media are subject to the following restrictions:

12 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED:

13 1. The provisions of this Interim Protective Order apply to computer media, materials, and
14 property that the United States alleges constitute and/or contain images and/or videos of child
15 pornography ("alleged contraband materials"). Without conceding that each image and/or video
16 within the alleged contraband materials constitutes child pornography, the defendant agrees that
17 the provisions of this Interim Protective Order apply to the alleged contraband materials. In the
18 event of a dispute as to whether a specific image and/or video constitutes child pornography, the
19 defendant agrees that the provisions of this Interim Protective Order apply unless and until the
20 counsel for the United States agrees in writing that a specific image and/or video is not child
21 pornography or the Court enters an Order to that effect.

22 2. The following individuals (the "defense team") may obtain and examine the alleged
23 contraband materials under the conditions set forth herein for the sole purpose of preparing the
24 defense and for no other purpose:

- 25 a. Counsel for defendant;
- 26 b. Persons employed by defense counsel who are assisting with the preparation of
27 the defense;
- 28 c. Defendant, but only in the presence of his attorney;

1 d. Any expert retained on behalf of the defendant to assist in the defense of this
2 matter;

3 e. Any investigator retained on behalf of defendants to assist in the defense of this
4 matter.

5 3. The United States shall make one forensic copy of all seized computer media ("defense
6 hard drive") for the defense team. The defense hard drive will be configured in a format
7 requested by the defense team, provided that the tools required to configure the hard drive in the
8 requested format are known to and available to the United States. The defense hard drive shall
9 be made available in a private room at the offices of the United States Attorney, 450 Golden Gate
10 Avenue, San Francisco, CA, 94102, or any other location agreed upon by the parties (the
11 "examination room"). The defense hard drive shall remain in the examination room at all times
12 and shall not be removed from the examination room by any member of the defense team. The
13 defense team will have access to the examination room during business hours, or on any other
14 practicable terms that can be agreed upon by the parties, and will be escorted to and from the
15 room by counsel for the United States or a person designated on his/her behalf. While the
16 defense team is reviewing the defense hard drive, no agents of the United States will be permitted
17 inside the examination room, except in the event of a building emergency that requires
18 immediate access to the examination room.

19 4. The examination room will have land-line phone access and a computer workstation that
20 meets the minimum system requirements for the defense team to view the alleged contraband
21 materials and/or install software for forensic analysis of the defense hard drive. The computer
22 workstation provided by the United States shall not be connected to the internet or to any other
23 computer network. The defense team will be permitted to bring into the examination room
24 whatever hardware, software, books, or records it believes necessary to conduct the examination,
25 including a computer on which it may conduct a forensic analysis of the defense hard drive.
26 Any computer brought in by the defense team and used to conduct an examination of the defense
27 hard drive shall not be connected to the internet or to any other computer network. The defense
28 team will also be permitted to bring in and use a computer that provides internet access at its own

1 expense, provided that any computer used to provide access to the internet is not connected to the
2 computer used to examine the defense hard drive. The defense team will be permitted to leave
3 the computer work station provided by the United States and /or its own computer processing the
4 defense hard drive in its absence. While a computer used by the defense team is processing the
5 defense hard drive in the absence of the defense team, no agents of the United States will be
6 permitted inside the examination room, except in the event of a building emergency that requires
7 immediate access to the examination room. At the conclusion of defense team's use of the
8 examination room, the workstation provided by the United States will be re-imaged. Neither the
9 United States nor its agents will review the defense team's configurations on the workstation at
10 any time.

11 5. If agreeable to all parties and practicable, a copy of the defense hard drive may be stored
12 in a locked or restricted location designated by the United States for subsequent examination by
13 the defense team, so that the United States will not have to re-image the defense hard drive for
14 each examination by the defense team. The integrity of this hard drive may be verified by the use
15 of a container sealed with tamper-evident evidence tape. When the defense team has advised
16 counsel for the United States that it has completed its examination of the defense hard drive, the
17 United States will re-image the hard drive to remove all data from the hard drive. Neither the
18 United States nor its agents will review the defense team's configurations on the defense hard
19 drive at any time.

20 6. The defense team shall not make copies of and shall not remove any images or videos
21 from the alleged contraband materials without further Court Order. This prohibition includes (1)
22 printing images and images from videos onto paper and (2) duplicating images and videos in any
23 digital format; (3) carrying images and videos off-site from the examination room; and (4)
24 sending images and videos off-site electronically. Non-image files such as word processing files,
25 emails, and other text files may be duplicated to the extent necessary to prepare the defense of
26 this matter but only after the person duplicating the material has confirmed that the file does not
27 contain any embedded image or video files. The defense team may remove printed notes and/or
28 reports provided that the person seeking to remove the notes and/or reports has confirmed that

1 the notes and/or reports do not contain any embedded image or video files.

2 7. Prior to receiving access to the materials on any occasion, the defense team members
3 involved in that examination shall sign a copy of this Certification to be filed with the Court
4 acknowledging that:

- 5 a. S/he has reviewed the Order;
- 6 b. S/he understands the contents;
- 7 c. S/he will only access the defense hard drive for the purposes of preparing a
8 defense;
- 9 d. S/he will not access the defense hard drive from any computer that is connected to
10 the Internet or any local network;
- 11 e. S/he will not remove the defense hard drive or any alleged contraband materials
12 from the examination room; and
- 13 f. S/he understands that failure to abide by this Order may result in sanctions by this
14 Court and in state or federal criminal charges for possession, transportation,
15 receipt, or distribution of child pornography.

16 8. Upon conclusion of any examination, the defense team members involved in that
17 examination will certify in writing, to be filed with the Court, that s/he has not copied and has not
18 removed the defense hard drive and/or any alleged contraband materials from the examination
19 room. Except when a member of the defense team involved in that examination fails to provide
20 this certification, no employee of the United States will examine or acquire in any fashion any of
21 the items used by the defense team to conduct its analysis. If a member of the defense team fails
22 to certify that s/he has not copied and has not removed any alleged contraband materials, the
23 United States may inspect or examine the defense hard drive and any computer and computer
24 media used by the defense team to ensure that contraband has not been removed.

25 9. In the event that the defense team inadvertently removes any alleged contraband
26 materials, it shall immediately inform counsel for the United States and return it to him within 24
27 hours.

28 10. This Stipulated Order is a negotiated procedure by the parties in this case. It does not

1 constitute a concession or waiver by the United States regarding discovery procedures generally
 2 for providing access to child pornography under Title 18, United States Code, section 3509(m).
 3 It also does not represent a stipulation by the defense team conceding the constitutionality of
 4 Title 18, United States Code, section 3509(m). This Stipulated Order will permit the parties in
 5 the present case to avoid litigation regarding Title 18, United States Code, section 3509(m) but
 6 does not represent a waiver or concession in other or future cases.

7 11. A copy of this Stipulation and Interim Protective Order shall be maintained with the
 8 alleged contraband materials at all times.

9 12. Any disputes concerning this Stipulation and Interim Protective Order shall be resolved
 10 by this Court only after counsel for the United States and defendant have first conferred and
 11 attempted to resolve the dispute.

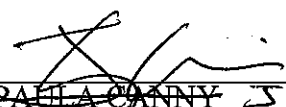
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 13 SO STIPULATED:

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 16 DATED: 5/29, 2012

MELINDA HAAG
 United States Attorney


 OWEN P. MARTIKAN
 Assistant United States Attorney

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 18 DATED: May 29, 2011


 PAULA CANNY JUSTIN GOODWIN
 Attorney for Nicolas Perret

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 21 SO ORDERED.

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 23 DATED: 5-29-12


 HON. WILLIAM H. ALSUP
 United States District Judge

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CERTIFICATION TO INTERIM PROTECTIVE
ORDER

The undersigned acknowledges that s/he has received a copy of the Interim Protective Order in the above-referenced matter, and has read, understands, and agrees to the terms of the Stipulation and Interim Protective Order, and hereby submits to the jurisdiction of the United States District Court for the Northern District of California for the purposes of enforcement of the terms and punishment of any violations thereof.

Date: _____

[Name]
[Title]

Having completed an examination of the defense hard drive, I hereby certify that I have not copied and have not removed the defense hard drive and/or any alleged contraband materials from the examination room.

Date: _____

[Name]
[Title]